

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

~~generating an animation in a wireless handheld communication device by receiving, in a wireless handheld communication device, a user instruction to display editing at least one image in a sequence of images previously stored within the wireless handheld communication device, wherein the editing includes at least one of: adding movement, changing individual pixels, and adding text, and;~~
~~displaying the at least one image as a bit-map pattern;~~
~~receiving user instructions to change individual pixels of the bit-map pattern;~~
~~storing the at least one image with the user-instructed changes to the individual pixels of the bit-map pattern;~~
~~automatically applying changes to other images in the sequence based on changes to the individual pixels of the bit-map pattern; and~~
~~displaying said changed sequence of images in said wireless handheld communication device in a predetermined order and with predetermined intervals between the images; and~~
~~altering a display resolution of the animation responsive to said editing.~~

2. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein the sequence of images is displayed repeatedly for a number of times, and wherein the handheld communication device receives an input that sets said number of times the display of the sequence of images is to be repeated.

3. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 2, wherein the handheld communication device compares said number of times the displaying of the sequence of images is to be repeated with a predetermined number; and if said number of times the displaying of the sequence of images is to be repeated exceeds said predetermined number, the handheld communication device only repeats the display sequence said predetermined number of times.

4. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 3, wherein the handheld communication device repeats the display sequence said predetermined number of times when the handheld communication device is subsequently reactivated.

5. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, further comprising ~~wherein the editing of the at least one image includes resizing the at least one image from the sequence~~ into a display size specific for an application in the handheld communication device.

6. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 5, wherein the resizing includes receiving a user selection of a portion of the controls the resizing of only the at least one image to be resized into the display size specific for the application in the handheld communication device, and wherein the resizing further includes the handheld communication device automatically ~~resizes~~ resizing the remaining images in the sequence of images.

7. (Canceled)

8. (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:

a processor;
a transceiver for communication via a wireless network; and
a display,

wherein said processor is configured to receive a user instruction to display at least one image in a sequence of images previously stored within the apparatus ~~edit at least one of a sequence of images stored on the apparatus, the editing including at least one of: adding movement, changing individual pixels, and adding text, and~~

wherein said processor is configured to display the at least one image as a bit-map pattern on the display, generate an animation in said display by displaying said sequence of images in a predetermined order and with predetermined intervals between the images, and

wherein said processor is configured to receive user instructions to change individual pixels of the bit-map pattern,

wherein said processor is configured to store the at least one image with the user-instructed changes to the individual pixels of the bit-map pattern,

wherein said processor is configured to automatically apply changes to other images in the sequence based on changes to the individual pixels of the bit-map pattern, and

wherein said processor is configured to display said changed sequence of images on said display in a predetermined order and with predetermined intervals between the images
~~wherein the editing of the at least one of a sequence of images alters a display resolution of the animation generated by said apparatus.~~

9. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the sequence of images is displayed repeatedly for a number of times, and said processor is configured to set the number of times responsive to an input received at said apparatus.

10. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 9, wherein the processor is operable to compare the number of times the display of the sequence of images is to be repeated with a predetermined number, and if the processor deems that the number of times the display of the sequence of images is to be repeated exceeds said predetermined number, the processor is operable to only repeat the display sequence said predetermined number of times.

11. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 10, wherein the processor is operable to repeat the display sequence said predetermined number of times when the apparatus is subsequently reactivated.

12. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the processor is ~~operable to provide a picture viewer in the display with which the user may edit the at least one of a sequence of images, wherein said editing with said picture viewer includes~~configured to resize the at least one of an image from the sequence of images into a display size specific for an application in the apparatus.

13. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 12, wherein the processor is further configured to resize an image by receiving a user input for resizing the at least one of a sequence of images ~~selection of a portion of the image to be resized into the display size specific for the application in the apparatus~~, and wherein the ~~processor is resizing~~ further configured ~~includes the apparatus to resize automatically resizing~~ the remaining images of the sequence in the sequence of images based on the user input.

14. (Canceled)

15. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein the wireless handheld communication device comprises a mobile phone.

16. (Previously Presented) The apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the apparatus comprises a mobile phone.

17. (Currently Amended) ~~An~~ The apparatus comprising according to claim 8, wherein:

~~a display; and~~

~~a the processor is configured to present a sequence of images for generation of animation on the display and an animation menu for a user of the apparatus that includes~~

~~an edit images menu, the edit images menu allowing pixel-wise editing of the images wherein the images are previously stored on the apparatus before generation of the animation;~~

~~an add text menu, the add text menu allowing the adding of text to the animation images;~~

~~a duration setting menu, the duration setting menu allowing the speeding up or the slowing down of the animation displayed images;~~

~~a loop setting menu, the loop setting menu allowing the setting of the number of repetitions of the animation displayed images;~~

~~a resizing menu, the resizing menu allowing the resizing of the images; and~~

an add moving menu, the add moving menu allowing the adding of speed and direction to the animation and displayed images, and wherein

the processor is configured to alter a display resolution of the animation generated by said apparatus and displayed images responsive to an editing of at least one of the sequence of images.

18. (Previously Presented) The apparatus according to claim 17, wherein the apparatus comprises a mobile phone.

19. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable storage medium having computer-executable instructions that when executed by a processor, execute a method, said method comprising:

receiving, in a wireless handheld communication device, a user instruction to display at least one image in a sequence of images previously stored within the wireless handheld communication device;

displaying the at least one image as a bit-map pattern;

receiving user instructions to change individual pixels of the bit-map pattern;

storing the at least one image with the user-instructed changes to the individual pixels of the bit-map pattern;

automatically applying changes to other images in the sequence based on changes to the individual pixels of the bit-map pattern; and

displaying said changed sequence of images in said wireless handheld communication device in a predetermined order and with predetermined intervals between the images. ~~editing at least one of a sequence of images stored on a wireless handheld communication device, the editing comprising at least one of: adding movement, changing individual pixels, and adding text; and~~

~~generating on said wireless handheld communication device an animation by displaying said sequence of images in said wireless handheld communication device in a predetermined order and with predetermined intervals between the images,~~

~~wherein the editing alters a display resolution of the animation.~~

20. (New) The computer-readable storage medium of claim 19, wherein said method further comprises:

resizing an image from the sequence into a display size specific for an application in the handheld communication device.

21. (New) The computer-readable storage medium of claim 20, wherein the resizing includes receiving a user selection of a portion of the image to be resized into the display size specific for the application in the handheld communication device, and wherein the resizing further includes the handheld communication device automatically resizing the remaining images in the sequence of images.

22. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

displaying a last one of said sequence of images when said animation is stopped.

23. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising receiving a user instruction to add movement to the at least one image.

24. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising receiving a user instruction to add text to the at least one image.

25. (New) The apparatus of claim 8, wherein said processor is configured to receive a user instruction to add movement to the at least one image.

26. (New) The apparatus of claim 8, wherein said processor is configured to receive a user instruction to add text to the at least one image.